

## GROUNTS MUST TELL ABOUT CUMISKY

District-Attorney Jerome Says Latter Has Been Carried on City's Payroll While Conducting a Pool-Room.

SELDOM SEEN AT COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.

While Receiving a Salary of \$1,800 a Year as an Examiner of Accounts Most of His Time Is Spent Elsewhere.

In this campaign, in which the investigation mark figures largely in street signs and bill board posters, Comptroller Edward M. Grout will be called on to take a peep in shape of the charge that he has carried on the payroll of his office as "Commissioner of Accounts," a man whom District-Attorney Jerome says is manager of the greatest pool-room business in New York, and for whom Representative Timothy D. Sullivan is political sponsor.

Bugene J. Cumisky, of No. 215 West Fifty-fifth street, who enjoys a salary of \$1,800 a year as examiner of accounts, is the man who is said to conduct what is generally referred to as "Tim" Sullivan's pool-room business, while he is drawing pay from the city.

In the Comptroller's office it is no secret that Mr. Cumisky does not report often than is necessary to draw his salary, and that the explanation of his "pull" is the fact that he is "Tim" Sullivan's confidential agent.

Not in His Office.

A reporter who inquired for Mr. Cumisky at the Comptroller's office was referred to the chief clerk, who admitted he was employed in Room 27, but volunteered the information that he probably was not in.

In room No. 27 an examining inspector answered questions regarding Mr. Cumisky. "Yes, Gene is employed here," was said.

"May I send my card to him?" was asked.

"He is not working just at present. But any time you may leave for him will reach him."

"How long has he had a leave of absence?"

"Well, he has done very little work for a year."

"He is still drawing salary?"

"He is still carried on the payroll."

District-Attorney Jerome knows all about Mr. Cumisky. He learned of him when Mr. Grout's examiners of accounts objected to the bills incurred by Mr. Jerome's detectives in obtaining evidence against gambling houses and pool-rooms.

Yes, I know of Mr. Cumisky," said the District-Attorney. "His name appears on the city's payroll as an examiner of accounts. There also is a Eugene Cumisky, who manages an open pool-room under the old system and who is now doing the same business by telephone against gambling houses and pool-rooms."

Mr. Grout will have an opportunity to tell what he knows about this interesting young man. His examiners passed upon the bills of his county detective who were seeking evidence against the gambling houses, and it will be remembered these examiners found much fault with them.

"It will be found that Cumisky's eyes are and were in such bad shape that he has not been able to do any work in the Comptroller's office or in a pool-room. He is really in such physical condition that he is unable to attend to the duties of his office."

In the office at Broadway and Bond street, where Cumisky spends much time while drawing salary from the city, an attendant admitted that the manager was an employee of the city, but explained that he was on a prolonged leave of absence granted by Comptroller Grout.

Mr. Grout's Admission.

Comptroller Grout when seen by an Evening World reporter to-day said: "I must admit that Cumisky has been employed in my department and that he has been absent from office for some time, but as to his being the manager of a pool-room, I positively assert that I know nothing of that matter."

Cumisky had been drawing from a canteen, and when he was at the office to attend to his eyes. It would not have been humane on my part to have laid the man off when he was afflicted in that way."

Cumisky had been drawing from the passing on the bills were sent by Mr. Jerome in his pool-room raids or by other business. He in no manner say jurisdiction over such matters."

"Will you investigate the charges?" the Comptroller was asked.

"Yes," he replied, half-heartedly; "certainly I will."

## MARIE DRESSLER'S BACKING USELESS.

Did Her Best to Get Murphy to Nominate Finelite for Civil Justice and Her Failure Angered Her.

The mystery of Marie Dressler's appearance at Tammany Hall while nominations were being considered is now known. She was advocating the nomination of Lawyer Alexander E. Finelite for Justice of the Thirteenth District Municipal Court.

Mr. Finelite had set his heart on being a Justice and as he was counsel for Marie Dressler she made up her mind to help him all she could. As Mr. Finelite was the author of several books appealing to civil court practice and, as his friends asserted, the most acceptable of all the candidates, Miss Dressler thought that she would have a way over.

"Why," said Marie Dressler, "it will be the easiest thing I've ever done. I'll get Murphy to do anything for me. I've only got to go up and ask him and he'll do it."

"Nominate Mr. Finelite," said Murphy. "Yes, he's a splendid young man, and I like him very much indeed. I think he would make a splendid Justice. But you know that the delegates will make the nomination."

Immense Miss Dressler thought that the delegates did so, but the next day she tripped back to Murphy's side with the information that it was Murphy who named the candidate and she was not to be named.

Murphy made no promise, and she went every day urging Finelite's nomination.

## DID TRUSTS FILL TIGER CASH BOX?

Tale Comes from Wall Street that Foes of President Roosevelt Are Giving Aid to the Tammany Campaign.

WANTED HUGH J. GRANT TO BE THE CANDIDATE.

First Big Contribution Said to Have Been Returned by Murphy, but New Terms Were Arranged Later.

There is a tale current in Republican circles concerning the foundation of the enormous bank roll that Tammany Hall is said to possess in this campaign.

This tale involves more than purely local issues. In its ramifications it can be seen the reported hostility of Wall Street and the gigantic trust interests to the candidacy of Theodore Roosevelt for re-election. It encompasses the collapse of the boom of Hugh J. Grant for the Tammany nomination and the commonly accepted theory that the men of millions antagonistic to Roosevelt are working for the success of McClellan for the effect that a Democratic victory in New York this fall would have upon the National situation next year.

According to this piece of gossip Hugh J. Grant, when he returned from Europe last month, was approached by men high in finance with a proposition that he enter the lists for the Tammany nomination. It will be remembered that on the day he landed the newspapers reported that he was a likely candidate. Mr. Grant, being then uninformed as to the sentiment of the element that considered him the man most available, denied that he was in any way concerned in the question.

They Converted Grant.

But, the story goes, Mr. Grant was made to see otherwise the first time he got into communication with the Wall Street interests that are against Roosevelt and for Tammany. These interests include Republicans of high standing. They said to him that Grant on the Tammany ticket the chance of Mayor Low for re-election would be so small as to be indistinguishable.

There is a potent pull to Tammany. The signboards are dollar marks. This is known to Wall Street, and Mr. Grant, the story specifies, was chosen as the guide. He was entrusted with a bundle of money large enough to dazzle the eyes of even so ambitious a leader as Charles F. Murphy.

The names of the men who are mentioned as contributors to this fund are names prominent in financial news. Among the business concerns interested are those of J. P. Morgan, the City National Bank, the Central Trust Company, the Standard Oil Company and like institutions. To Mr. Grant was given the business of money and he was trusted with the mission of seeing that it got to Charles F. Murphy.

Mr. Murphy said the money all right. It was in the shape of a check. Mr. Murphy is a politician. He saw behind this campaign fund an effort to make him drop McClellan and name Hugh J. Grant for Mayor. There were other considerations, too, and much as Mr. Murphy needed the money for campaign purposes he is said to have sent it back.

McCarren Heard of It.

McClellan was nominated and the Tammany slate was put through. Then, in some mysterious way, Patrick Henry McCarren, of Brooklyn, is said to have learned of the contribution that had reached Tammany Hall through Mr. Grant. Mr. McCarren is not a mind reader, but the transaction was extremely secret, and Mr. McCarren is very close to Mr. Murphy.

Likewise is Mr. McCarren very close to large corporate interests that require representation in Albany during the sessions of the Legislature. He is said to have said to Mr. Murphy that the money was needed by Tammany Hall and that Tammany would appreciate a renewal of the offer of assistance made earlier in the campaign.

Mr. Rogers is said to have held a conference with Mr. James Sullivan, of the City National Bank, and in the course of a short time Charles F. Murphy is said to have been so well equipped with money that the atmosphere about Tammany Hall has been one of rosy opulence ever since. At least, this is the way the certain wise persons in local Republican ranks figure out the source of the Tammany campaign fund.

## HONORABLES OFF FOR HOME.

Crack English Company Concludes Two-Weeks' Visit Here.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—The members of the Honorable Artillery Company, of London, to-day said farewell to American shores after a stay of nearly two weeks in this country as the guests of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, of Massachusetts. During the fortnight's visit the Englishmen enjoyed the most elaborate hospitality in this city. They also visited New York, West Point, Washington and Niagara in the States, and Toronto and Montreal in Canada, on a tour planned to give them a birdseye view of the conditions at least of the Eastern part of the United States. Last night the London company closed the festivities of the trip with a banquet at golf hosts.

Early to-day preparations for departure for England were in progress and the Englishmen sailed on the Dominion line steamer Columbus this afternoon.

## H. Batterman

Common-sense, thrifty women will not miss the many buying advantages always to be gained in shopping at THE H. BATTERMAN STORE.

1.75 & 2.50 Hats, 98c.

Ready to Wear Hats, all of the very best and popular styles of this season, the majority in scratch felt, sailor, turban and large flare shapes, trimmed with pompons, velvet ribbons, quills and wings, worth \$1.75 and \$2.50. . . . . 98c

\$5 Street Skirts, \$2.85

These Skirts come in mannish mixtures, all of which are of a high-class character. Skirts are made with shaped hip effect, strapped with like material. Real value \$2.85 \$5. Special, . . . . .

1.98 Madras Waists, 1.39

They are in fancy figured patterns, in all sizes, of excellent Madras of a basket weave. Short rows of tuckings ornament them, and they are finished with large pearl buttons. Worth \$1.98; \$1.39 special. . . . .

25c Children's Hose, 19c.

These are heavy black cotton hose, that answer well for school and play purposes: 2&1 and 1&1 rib, spliced heel and toe, warranted stainless, sizes 6 to 10; regularly sold at 25c; special. . . . . 19c

18x54 Dresser Scarfs, 39c.

Some very choice all linen damask dresser scarfs have been gathered for quick selling. Some have drawn-work edges, others are in hem-stitched effects. Those 18x54 are to go at. . . . . 39c

18x72. . . . . 49c

\$1.29 Table Covers, 99c

All-linen damask table covers, fringed patterns, colored borders, 64" wide by 78 inches long; regularly sold at \$1.29; at the special . . . . . 99c

\$1.25 Gloves, 98c.

About 1,500 pairs of Women's Cape Gloves, in the much affected mannish style, one-clasp, in white, an assortment of tans and in red, spear-back embroidery, worth a full \$1.25; special. . . . . 98c

Dent's Hand-sewn Mannish Gloves for women, in a variety of tans and reds, spear-back embroidery. . . . . 1.50

Broadway, Flushing and Graham Aves., Brooklyn.

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Fulton St., Elm Place and Hoyt St., Brooklyn.

DOUBLE Trading Stamps

With All Cash Purchases

FRIDAY.

2 Blue Stamps Instead of 1.

CHAPMAN & CO.

The Store That Saves You Money.

Entire Block, Fulton, From Bridge to Duffield Street, Brooklyn.

Friday, the Bargain Day of the Week.

Great Value Giving Throughout the Entire House.

Triple Stamps Friday

with all purchases made in our Furniture, Carpet, Housefurnishing Goods, China and Toy Departments.

That means 3 "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps instead of 1 with purchases in the above departments Friday only.

Special Offering to Tea and Coffee Buyers.

Triple Trading Stamps.

To get you better acquainted with our large Tea and Coffee Department, we offer for Friday and Saturday, with all purchases of Coffees and Teas, Triple Trading Stamps (that means 3 "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps instead of 1).

Our Coffee and Tea business is the largest in the city—over 75 varieties. Prices positively the lowest. Extra help to serve you quickly.

## Bloomington

## Bargain Friday's Budget of Economy!

Those who doubt that Bargain Friday at Greater New York's Greatest Department Store has deservedly earned the prominent position it holds in the interest of the practically economical, need but to consider the specials referred to in this announcement as representative of what's to be expected from every section of the store to-morrow, and to make comparisons, our Bargain Friday prices with competitive quotations from any source whatever.

Then unequivocal proof must again be established!

Ask to be shown the "Amaranth" Shoe For Women at \$1.98 a Pair. You'll be impressed by its many good points.

We unreservedly recommend the "Worthmore" Shoe For Men, at \$3 a Pair, as a strictly high-grade shoe, stylish, wear-resisting and the best shoe value obtainable.

Men's Glove Special, 69c.

Splendid quality, perfectly fitting gloves, made from the finest selected skins, and equal in every way to gloves selling at \$4 elsewhere.

They are in tan and English red only; all sizes. Every pair fully guaranteed—your money refunded if they do not prove entirely satisfactory—sale price pair, . . . . . 69c

Women's \$1 Kid Gloves, 59c.

Made of soft, pliable skins, in the popular two-clasp style, with one row of dainty silk embroidery on backs; all colors, including black and white; regular \$1 gloves.

Main Floor, 50th St. Section.

Men's Blanket Robes, \$1.98.

Real Value, \$3.00!

Made of fine imported cotton blankets; perfectly made and cut liberal and full; finished with silk cord and girdle to match robe—very exceptional value at \$1.98.

Main Floor, 50th St. Section.

Regular 25c. Hosiery, 12½c.

Hosiery of genuine good quality and serviceability at just half real value is offered here to-morrow for shrewd buyers' consideration. In the lot are:

Women's plain black Cotton Stockings, with white or black feet and double soles. Also Rembrandt ribbed stockings, with silk embroidered insteps, all sizes.

Men's plain black Cotton Socks, with double soles, heels and toes.

Men's black Cotton Socks, with silk embroidered insteps, in fifty styles for choice; all sizes.

Men's natural gray wool Socks, in all sizes.

Boys' heavy corduroy ribbed school Stockings, with double knees; sizes 6 to 9½ inches.

Main Floor, 50th St. Section.

Women's Auto Mackintoshes.

Handsome, stylish and serviceable garments of all-wool serge lined with light plaid; made with new style full sleeves, rolled velvet collar and nicely shaped belts—colors navy blue and black.

A rare chance to get a splendid value in one of these popular rain protectors—special

\$4.49 and \$4.98.

Second Floor, 50th St. Section.

Women's Eiderdown Robes, \$2.98

Warm and comfortable robes made of excellent quality eiderdown; they have fitted backs; pointed collar, turn-over cuffs; nicely bound with satin ribbon and the two silk frogs on front—special price for to-morrow,

\$2.98 for Women's Eiderdown Kimonos.

In all colors; made with bell sleeve; full fronts; with two silk frogs; heavy girdle.

\$3.98 for Ripple Eiderdown Robes.

Large collar, cuffs and pocket trimmed with satin ribbon; front with silk frogs and cord and tassel.

Second Floor, 50th St. Section.

Girls' Seasonable Dresses

In Sailor Suits and Russian Styles.

The popular sailor and Russian suit styles for little girls are here in plenty, in all the most favored materials and prettiest trimmed effects, at prices remarkably small considering the quality and good style.

\$2.98 for Sailor Suits.

Of all-wool flannel, with anchor embroidered on shield, sailor collar, trimmed with braids; sizes 6 to 14 years.

\$3.98 for Sailor Suits.

Of splendid quality all-wool serge, with collar and shield trimmed with pretty combination braids; sizes 4 to 10 years.

Second Floor, 50th St. Section.

Women's Sateen Petticoats, \$1.29.

These petticoats are made of extra quality mercerized sateen; with full knee flounce, finished with pleating edged with dainty tucked ruffle—special sale price to-morrow,

\$1.29 for Black Sateen Petticoats

Of extra quality, permanently finished black sateen; with black and white metallic striped effects; with deep pleating, finished with ruffle.

Second Floor, 50th St. Section.

ALL CARS TRANSFER TO BLOOMINGTON.

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## HEARN

## Great Fall Sale

FRIDAY, AS USUAL, BARGAIN DAY

Plain Talk—Plain Figures

Few Words—Many Bargains

Specials in Dress Goods

32 inch All Wool Homespuns—value 48. . . . . 48

32 inch All Wool Zepheirs—value 48. . . . . 48

32 inch Black Broadcloths—value 48. . . . . 48

32 inch All Wool Snowflakes—value 48. . . . . 48

32 inch All Wool cold Vests—value 48. . . . . 48

Specials in Velvets

Black and Colored Silk Velvets—75 cent quality—value 59. . . . . 59

27 inch Corduroys—Black and colors—value 49. . . . . 49

Black and white Velvets—small and medium designs—value 49. . . . . 49

Black and white Velvets—new shades—special value—value 49. . . . . 49

Black Cloning Velours—32 inch—value 2.50. . . . . 2.00

Specials in Wash Fabrics

Heavy nap Outing Flannels—Black and white—fancy colors—value 10. . . . . 6

New Fall Outing Flannels—Black and white—fancy colors—value 10. . . . . 6

Knicker effects—15 cent quality—value 9. . . . . 9

Yard wide Flannellette—dots and figures—15 cent grade—value 12. . . . . 12

Apron Gingham—one of the best—check and colors—value 10. . . . . 5

New Fall Sateen—fancy figures—fast colors—value 10. . . . . 15

Black Back Albatross—light, medium and dark—15 cent quality—value 10. . . . . 10

Specials in Millinery

Black and White Ostrich Plumes—long, full—value 1.08. . . . . 1.08

14-inch—value 2.48. . . . . 2.48

16-inch—value 3.68. . . . . 3.68

Women's Ready-to-Wear Hats with pompons, breasts or wings, combined with velvet or satin—black and colors—regularly \$2.69. . . . . 1.08

Children's Ready-to-Wear—rolling rim Sallors, with streamers or bows—value 1.08. . . . . 49

Children's Fur Beaver Flats—black and colors—value 1.08. . . . . 1.08

Specials in Women's Waists

White Pebble Weave Cheviot—Waists—value \$1.25. . . . . 95

Black Weave Cheviot—Waists—white with black stripes—value \$1.49. . . . . 1.94

Waists of Fancy Vestings, Damasks, etc.—value \$1.49. . . . . 2.69

Specials in Children's Wear

Flannellette Night Drawers—pink and blue stripes—value 39. . . . . 39

Flannellette Night Drawers—white, pink and blue—value 39. . . . . 39

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Specials in Babies' Wear

Cashmere Shirts—slightly imperfect—6 months to 3 years—fitting sleeves; value 39. . . . . 29

Cashmere Bands—30 cent quality—value 19. . . . . 19

Long and short Cambric Dresses, tucks and emby insertings—size 2 to 3 years—value 39. . . . . 19

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Specials in White Goods

White Novelty Waists—variety of patterns—just the thing for fall—value 49. . . . . 19

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Specials in Petticoats

Taffeta Silk Skirts—Black, Colored and shaded effects—ruffles—length according to value \$4.99. . . . . 3.89

Black Mercerized Sateen—outlet Flannellette—value \$1.39. . . . . 99

Mercerized Sateen—several styles—lined and unlined—value \$1.39. . . . . 1.49

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Specials in Neckwear

Silk Stocks—double row fancy autentic and French knots—value \$1.39. . . . . 39

Silk and Chiffon Stocks—emby'd in self or Persian colors or with lace facings and steel bead trim—value 39. . . . . 69

\$4.00 Liberty Silk Neck Ruffs and Caps—full ruche ruff or 3 deep accordion pleated cap—black or black with white. . . . . 2.98

Specials in Ribbons

3 to 3½ inch Liberty Satin Ribbons—colors and black—value 19. . . . . 19

4½ to 5 inch new Plaid Ribbons—light and dark—style for children's hats—value 39. . . . . 39

5 inch Liberty Satin Taffetas, colors white and black. . . . . 95

Specials in Girls' Wear

Black Flannel Gymnasium Suits—full bloomers—value \$3.50. . . . . 1.49

Girls' Long Coats—Zibelines and plain cloths—best colors—with and without capes—value \$1.98. . . . . 4.98

Girls' Cashmere Dresses—tucked silk yokes—braids and lace trim—value 1.08. . . . . 1.08

Children's Cloth Coats—best colors—lined and unlined—value \$1.39. . . . . 3.98

Specials in Decorative Goods

\$1.50 Lithograph Set of Pillows—deep ruffle—each does filled. . . . . 69

Japanese Silk Lambrequins—emb'd—3½ yard—value \$1.39. . . . . 1.39

Envelopes to match, some with wallet flap per 100. . . . . 95

Specials in Stationery

Silk Dainty Stationery—blue, violet or cream—100 sheets—envelopes—value 60. . . . . 58

Royal Bateau Stationery—three sizes, three tints, package of 25 to 125 sheets. . . . . 24

Envelopes to match, some with wallet flap per 100. . . . . 95